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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

20 This Preliminary Amendment is responsive to the Advisory Action, dated 18  
September 2006, for the above-identified patent application. Amendment to the  
Claims is attached hereto.

25 Applicant does not believe that filing of this Amendment will incur additional fees.  
However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees due and credit any  
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No. 22862. Applicant considers this document to be filed in a timely manner.